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BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF PSYCHOLOGISTS

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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES: BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF PSYCHOLOGISTS

MEETING DATE AND TIME: Monday, June 5, 2017 at 09:00 AM

PLACE: Division of Professional Regulation

861 Silver Lake Blvd., Conference Room B Cannon Bldg., Dover, Delaware 19904

MINUTES FOR APPROVAL: July 24, 2017

MEMBERS PRESENT

Dr. Kristen Robust, Professional Member, Vice-President

Dr. Rebecca Richmond, Professional Member, Secretary (arrived at 9:12 am)

Dr. Rachel Brandenburg, Professional Member

Dr. Joseph Zingaro, Professional Member

Victor Kennedy, Public Member

Rachel Dunning, Public Member

MEMBERS ABSENT

Dr. Meghan Lines, Professional Member, President Heather Contant, Public Member

DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESENT

Jennifer Singh, Deputy Attorney General Bryan Stone, Administrative Specialist II

OTHERS PRESENT

Kandia Lewis

Marika Ginsburg-Block

CALL TO ORDER

Dr. Robust called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

The Board reviewed the minutes from May 01, 2017. Dr. Zingaro made a motion, seconded by Dr. Richmond, to approve the minutes as written. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

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UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Propose to Deny Hearing for Kandia Lewis

Dr. Robust called the hearing to order at 9:01 a.m. Ms. Singh advised the Board the purpose of today's hearing. Dr. Lewis was advised that she has the right to be represented by an attorney. Dr. Lewis waived her right to an attorney and wished to continue the hearing without representation of an attorney. Dr. Lewis's complete application packet and documentation with the Board's Proposal to Deny hearing letter was submitted as Board Exhibit 1 for the record. Dr. Lewis was sworn in and addressed the Board. Dr. Lewis introduced Dr. Ginsburg-Block as her representation and her speaker. Dr. Ginsburg-Block was sworn in and addressed the Board regarding Dr. Lewis's application and requirements for licensure. Dr. Ginsburg-Block submitted a letter of reference that she wrote as Licensee Exhibit 1, a letter from Dr. Mary Martin as Licensee Exhibit 2, a list showing a breakdown of the 5 domains of educational focus as Licensee Exhibit 3, the University of Delaware course syllabi as Licensee Exhibit 4 and the internship training manual as Licensee Exhibit 5 for the record. The Board questioned Dr. Ginsburg-Block and Dr. Lewis. Dr. Ginsburg-Block and Dr. Lewis responded. The Board entered into deliberations at 9:31 a.m. Dr. Zingaro made a motion, seconded by Dr. Richmond to deny Dr. Lewis for licensure as a Psychologist by examination. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Review of Psychology Application(s)

The Board reviewed the application for Psychologist by reciprocity for William Fishbein. Dr. Brandenburg made a motion, seconded by Dr. Zingaro to approve William Fishbein for licensure. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

Review of Psychological Assistant Application(s)

The Board reviewed the application for Psychological Assistant for Lourdes Santiago-Gely. Dr. Zingaro made a motion, seconded by Dr. Brandenburg to approve Lourdes Santiago-Gely for licensure. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

Request for Reactivation for Yolanda Stanton

The Board reviewed the request for reactivation for Yolanda Stanton. Dr. Richmond made a motion, seconded by Dr. Zingaro to approve the request for reactivation for Yolanda Stanton. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

Review of Psychological Assistant Report of New Supervisor for Jessica Fritzges-White
The Board reviewed the Psychological Assistant report of new supervisor for Jessica Fritzges-White. Ms. Dunning made a motion, seconded by Dr. Richmond to table the request until report from previous supervisor is received. With Dr. Brandenburg recusing, by unanimous vote, the motion carried.

Request for Extension for Richard Ivins

The Board reviewed the extension request for Richard Ivins. Dr. Brandenburg made a motion, seconded by Dr. Zingaro to approve the extension request for Richard Ivins. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

Review of Inactive Request(s)

The Board reviewed the inactive request for James Kurtz. Dr. Zingaro made a motion, seconded by Dr. Richmond to approve the inactive request for James Kurtz. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

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The Board reviewed the inactive request for Gillian Carty-Roper. Dr. Brandenburg made a motion, seconded by Dr. Richmond to approve the inactive request for Gillian Carty-Roper. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

The Board reviewed the inactive request for Jeffrey Wexler. Dr. Brandenburg made a motion, seconded by Dr. Richmond to approve the inactive request for Jeffrey Wexler. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

Request for Continuing Education Approval

The Board reviewed the request for continuing education approval for Delaware Health and Social Services. Dr. Brandenburg made a motion, seconded by Ms. Dunning to approve the continuing education for Delaware Health and Social Services excluding the CPR courses on both days. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE

There was no correspondence for review or discussion.

OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD (for discussion only)

Dr. Zingaro addressed the Board regarding the rules and regulation 10.6.6. The Board had a discussion and will add review of rules and regulations to next agenda.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held on July 24, 2017 at 9:00 a.m. in Conference Room A, 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Suite 203, Dover, DE.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, a motion was made by Dr. Zingaro, seconded by Dr. Richmond to adjourn the meeting at 10:20 a.m. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Bryan R. Stone

Administrative Specialist II

The notes of this meeting are not intended to be a verbatim record of the topics that were presented or discussed. They are for the use of the Board members and the public in supplementing their personal notes and recall for presentations.